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1 April 2015

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La communication ci-jointe, disponible en anglais, est transmise aux missions permanentes des États Membres de l'Organisation des Nations Unies à la demande des Représentants permanents des Palaos et des Seychelles auprès de l'Organisation.

Le 1 avril 2015



The Permanent Mission of the  
Republic of Seychelles to the  
United Nations



The Permanent Mission of the  
Republic of Palau to the  
United Nations

March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Your Excellency,

We have the honour to inform your Excellency that the Republic of Seychelles and the Republic of Palau have established diplomatic relation as of 30<sup>th</sup> March 2015.

We, therefore, kindly request Your Excellency to transmit this letter and the Joint Communiqué on the establishment of Diplomatic relations to all Member States of the United Nations for their information.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration.

For the Republic of Seychelles

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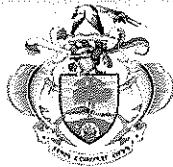
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Secretary-General of the United Nations  
New York



**JOINT COMMUNIQUÉ  
ON THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS  
BETWEEN  
THE REPUBLIC OF PALAU  
AND  
THE REPUBLIC OF SEYCHELLES**

The Government of the Republic of Seychelles and the Government of the Republic of Palau, guided by a shared willingness to develop and strengthen the ties of friendship and cooperation between the two countries in political, economic, cultural and other fields, have decided to establish diplomatic relations at the level of Ambassadors.

Both Governments wish to manifest their confidence that the establishment of diplomatic relations and the exchange of Ambassadors between both countries will correspond to the interests of the two States, is not directed against any other country and will facilitate the strengthening of international cooperation and universal peace.

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In witness whereof, the undersigned representatives, duly authorized by their respective Governments, have signed this Joint Communiqué in English.

Done in New York, on 30 March 2015

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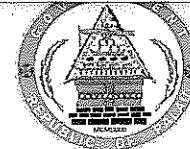
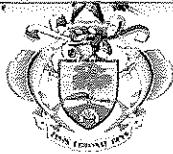
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